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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the document listed on the attached PTO Form 1449. To the best of the undersigned's knowledge, this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application. Accordingly, Applicants do not believe that a fee is due for filing this paper. Should a fee be required in connection with the filing of this Statement, please all charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

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A copy of GB 1,434 173 cited on attached Form 1449 is enclosed. This document was cited in a further European Search Report on a counterpart European application.

Applicants request that the Examiner consider the listed document and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached PTO Form 1449.

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